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Re:

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For: System, Method And Computer Program Product For Selectively Caching Domain Name System Information On A Network Gateway

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Sir:

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1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$30.00 to cover:

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- 2. Notice of Appeal PTO/SB/31;
- 3. Brief on Appeal Under 37 CFR 41.37; and
- 4. Return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

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